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FOR: MODULATION OF PROTEIN EXPRESSION USING CARBOCYCLIC  
ARYL ALKENOIC ACID DERIVATIVES

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RESPONSE

In response to the Office Action dated June 18, 2002, Applicants request reconsideration of the above-captioned application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please ☒ cancel claim 11. Please also ☒ cancel the second occurrence of the following claims: 28 and 29.

Kindly ☒ amend claims 1, 5, 8, 23-25, 29, and 34 as follows.

1. (Amended) A method for treating a disease or condition modulated by protein expression in a mammal suffering from, susceptible to, or recovering from the disease or condition, the method comprising administering to the mammal a therapeutically effective amount of at least one carbocyclic aryl compound comprising an unsaturated carbon chain and

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